# Wedding Gifts

Mr. Groom: Dear Sir,-We take the liberty of calling our attention to the fact that we make a specialty of wedding outfits, carrying everything that is correct and desirable in Full Dress and Tuexedo Suits, double-breasted frock Coats and Vests, Raincoats, Overcoats and all other essential articles in furnishing goods and Hats.

We should esteem it a favor if you would give us an op-ortunity to demonstrate to you what we offer, feeling sure that we can please and satisfy you.

On such an important occasion a man usually wants to be especially careful to get everything that is correct, and there is no house in the city that is so well qualified to meet those requirements. Yours very respectfully,

## GANS-RADY CO.

### **BOYS' VAIN HUNT** FOR LOST FATHER

Washington Lads Tramp Streets
All Day, Peering Into Every

TAFT TO ADDRESS Face They Pass,

Fergusson appears to be an unusually intelligent boy for his age, and seems to have a good education. He claims to be a pupil of a public school at 1213. Tweifth Street, Washington, Both youths are well dressed. The father is described as a man six feetial, who wears a black mustache.

Dr. Buchanan, secretary of the Juvenile Protective Association, was impressed with the straight-forward manner in which Fergusson recited his story, and agreed to take ours of the boys until Monday. He will probably assist them in getting back to Washington, if he is convinced that they are telling the truth. The case is the first of the kind ever brought to the steeniton of the association in Virginia, and is probably the only one op record in which boys so young have been sent from one large city to another to seek the whereabouts of an alleged wiff-deserter. Dr. Buchanan will probably communicate with the

### RICHMOND LAWYERS INDORSE JUDGE ROSS FOR SUPREME BENCH

Former Virginian Urged to Succeed Judge Rufus W. Peckham.

### MEET TUESDAY AFTERNOON

Resolutions Commend His Fine Service and Approval of Grover Cleveland.

In the hall of the Chamber of Commerce, at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, the Hichmond Bar Association will meet and Indorse a former Virginian and distinguished jurist for a seat on the United States Supreme Court bench, made vacant by the death of Tuestice. Rutus William Peckham.

Judge Erskine Mayo Ross, of Los Angoles, Cal., whom the bar of Richmond is delighted to honor, is now in the city, where he lived for a short time after the close of the Civil War. During that strife he was a student at the Virginia Military Institute, graduating in 1885, and was orderly sergeant of the cadet corps when that immortal body of boys engaged in the battle of Newmarket.

Judge Ross was born at Bel Pre, Culpeper county, on June 30, 1845. He was a son of William Buckner Ross and Elizabeth Mayo Ross. Losving Richmond in 1869, he was admitted to the bar in California in that year. Distinguishing himself in his profession, just ten years later he became justice of the Supreme Court of California, a position which he held until 1886.

Long Record on Beach.

Jefferson-E. F. Hunter, Norfolk; D. M. Sale, Norfolk; R. W. Harvey, Lynch-burg; J. M. Wiggins, Jr., Suffolk; L. F. Jolter, Norfolk, Murphy's-George K. Walsh, Norfolk;



Council Schedule.

There will be meetings to morrow night of the Council Committee on Electricity Grounds and Buildings and of the special committee to intuitive into the alloged their of paying stones from the city rock pile. Tuesday night there is the regular meeting of the Board of Aldormen. On account of Tart Day on Wednesday, which has been declared a general holiday in all the departments, and which the Council has requested merchants to observe as a holiday throughout the city, there will be no committee meetings. There are no regular meetings on the calendar for the latter part of this week.

### That Awful Gas

Did you hear it? How embarrassing. These stomach noisesmake you wish you could sink through the floor. You imagine everyone hears them. Keep a box of CAS-CARRTS in your purse or pocket and take a part of one after eating. It will relieve the stomach of gas. 918

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MONDAY SPECIAL: Bloomers, ages 6 to Values to \$1.00,

Knee Pants.

MONDAY SPECIAL: Boys' Overcoats, 3 to 7 \$5, \$6 and \$7 \$3.45

### We Never Shave

Quality, be the price ever so low. Quality is steadfastly

We vouch for every article we sell, and are always willing to return what you've paid and no sour face about it either.

A business is just as broad and deep as the confidence of its customers in it-no more, no less.

Speaking of quality and prices, glance at these Gaberdeen Raincoats. Silk yoke, with wool interlining, full length, shades of tan, \$20.00.

Rubberized Worsted Raincoats, with high or low collars; very dressy, \$18.50.

Chesterfield Overcoats, knee length, extremely full back, perfectly tailored, \$22.50.

Last, but not Least-Our Jay and Ell \$25 Suits are the best in town, and that's saying much, but we know whereof we speak. Your tailor will reproduce them

prisonment for life."

Drandon was to have been electrocuted last Friday, Governor Swanson granted a respite to December 3 to give him an opportunity to examine the papers.

Endorsed by Judge.

Judge W. R. Barkedale, who presided at Brandon's trial, endorses the petition for elemency, saying that the evidence in the case did not indicate a previous quarrej between the prisoner and the victim; that both men were drunk in a large crowd of colored paople assembled at an association, and that he does not think the facts were all brought out.

Commonwealth's Attorney Wood Bouldin, the presented to many the procedure of the first law.

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The Governor makes the rollowing statement of his reasons for this action:

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Mr. Trigg Better.

Hon, Daniel Trigg, of Abingdon, who is ill at the Johnston-Willis Hospital, is believed to be improving. It has not yet been determined what action will be taken by his physicians.

Mr. Trigg is one of the foremost lawyers in Southwest Virginia. He is a brother of the late ex-Congressman Comally F. Trigg.

Other Local News in Industrial and Society Sec-

tions.

ed at William and Mary. The only officing and is probably the only one on precord in which boys so young have been sent from one large city to another to seek the whereabouts of an alleged wife-deserter. Dr. Buchanan will probably communicate with the mother to-day, and may investigate the case through the Washington police.

SUPREME COURT TO MEET

Fall Term Regios Thursday—Judge
Buchanan in Hospital.

Attorney-General William A. Anderson. Attorney-General William A. Anderson. Who is in New York attending the hearing on the State dob' litigation will fature to Richards on the region of the Surreme Court of Appeals on Thursday merning. The Commonwealth cases are the first or the docket, and will be cnored int at the month of the surrement of the Surreme Court of Appeals on Thursday merning. The Commonwealth cases are the first or the docket, and will be cnored int at the form of Judge John A. Buchanan is in the Johnston-Willis Hospital.

It is unlikely that a full court will be present at the beginning of the term, who, as has been proviously stated, lines been lift for some time, is not yet, well enough to sit. Judge Buchanan is in the Johnston-Willis Hospital. His sondition is not regarded as immediately systems, and in the Johnston-Willis Hospital. His sondition is not regarded as immediately systems, and it is explosed that he will return to the bench has a light frame of the winter.

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